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A CARD.

SOME days ago an article appeared in the Colonist, stating that the place of Mr. C. F. Appargt, architect, had been accepted for the State Capitol of Colorado. I am under the impression that the statement made in the article referred to, is incorrect, not only in that particular, but in every particular. Will the editor of the Colonist please state his authority for that article, or will Mr. Appargt make the statement over his own signature, so that I may know the truth of the matter?

A CONTRACTOR.

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Notice.

CREDITORS of Augustus Longford Brown, late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister at Law,
Langley street, Victoria.
August 5, 1885. aug5

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway in South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to north-west corner of section one (1) in South Saanich.

RICHARD JOHNS,
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Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. aug4

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C. W. DIXON, having withdrawn from the firm, I have this day admitted E. H. WASE as partner in the Albion Hotel, Victoria.

A. H. CLEMENT.

Victoria, July 16th, 1885. jy17m

IN THE MOUNTAINS.

Difficult Railway Work—Vigilant Brakemen and Check Switches absolutely Necessary.

Great Perpendicular Rocks—Kicking Horse River—Up the Selkirks—Sir Matthew B. Bigbie.

Recent arrivals in this city from the east over the Canadian Pacific Railway describe the work of construction along the route as progressing rapidly, and that in the course of six weeks there will not be much left to complete the link. By all the scenery as is described as wonderfully grand. One of these gentlemen writes to the Winnipeg Free Press a lengthy letter, from which the following is extracted: For two hours after leaving the summit we covered I should say ten miles. Brakemen were, and had to be vigilant, for without them the engines could not have held us. Sometimes I got out and walked, alongside, and when a grade less deep was reached got on again, as the train then somewhat increased its speed. The brakes were tightened to the last point they would bear without sliding the wheels. Should they have given out, then the check-switches which lie here and there in the grade would be used, and so save the train from otherwise inevitable destruction. There is

SOME MIGHTY ROCK CUTTING

on that western slope. At one place just after emerging from a tunnel the frowning rock stands right away above us three thousand feet—these may not be the exact figures, but it looks just about that—and away far down on the other side of the train flows the Kicking Horse river. That rock above is so perpendicular that if a plumb line were suspended from its top it would touch the train. It makes one dizzy to look at it and then turn and see the surging stream below. The first crossing of the Columbia is a place of little note. The Chief Justice,

SIR MATTHEW BEGBIE,

held an assize court there the first week in July, but had only criminal work, and very little of that. One ambitious youth, called the Red Kid broke jail while His Lordship was just thinking about trying him, got away as far as Fort MacLeod, and the court adjourned over and went fishing until the constables brought him back. His first offence was stealing a pair of trousers; he had now added two others to his catalogue, breaking jail and pointing a pistol at the constable who, just after he broke jail and before he left the mountains, tried to retake him. The Crown Attorney forgot to indict him for jail-breaking, but he got three years at hard labor for the larceny and an additional eighteen months at the same occupation for the pistol business. Sir Matthew is just the man to crush with an iron hand the lawlessness of a mountain country.

At this point you leave behind you the bare and rugged rocks of the

GREAT BACK BONE OF THE CONTINENT,

and as you go westward less snow is seen; the fir trees are greener, cover the mountain sides more thickly, and grow to greater size. Now the climbing process begins again, and this time we keep high up the mountain, so as to make the summit of the Selkirks on an even grade. Half way up is the bridge across Stony Creek, 290 feet high—the highest in the world. One unfortunate man, a foreman, dropped down from that giddy height a few days ago. Poor fellow, he never breathed again.

The Beaver Pass at the summit of the Selkirks, is more distinctly marked than that of the Rockies. It is a deep gorge, closely walled in by the mountain rocks, while at the Kicking Horse the mountains are distant and the pass is like a level plain.

THE NEXT RIVER, THE ILLECILLEWAIT,

here comes stealing, or rather sounding, down the mountain side at our left, and then takes its westward course. A few hundred yards away the Beaver river comes rushing down the same mountain, and makes it way down the eastern slopes.

The effects of snow slides are seen all through the Selkirks. Nothing remains on their course after they have swept down but the bare earth and rocks. Every tree up to two feet in diameter is snapped off as if it were a pipestem, or torn out by the roots and hurled along with surging, tumbling snow, or left prone on the mountain side. On either side of the course of the slide the current of air put in motion by the moving mass of snow cuts off the tops of the trees for several hundred feet. In several places along the Illecillewait, and close by the railroad, these piles of snow are still forty to sixty feet in depth, and yet melting every day.

THE DEBRIS OF ROOTS AND TREES

and earth and stones, caught up by the snow on its downward sweep lie on the surface as the snow melts away and preserve it throughout the summer. On one snow bank lies high and dry a huge rock of perhaps a hundred tons weight. At another place the tote road passes over the snow, while underneath rushes a mountain stream with its icy archway thirty feet above it. When this grows thinner perhaps some unlucky freighter may drop through with his load. The three men caught last winter in an avalanche referred to by Mr. Blake in his recent speech in the House, were found recently. Five hundred dollars were found in the pocket of one of them—hard-earned money, which perhaps he was bringing east to a needy family.

The track is now laid to a point ten miles east of the summit of the Selkirks, and the grading is ready quite up to the summit. The grading west of this will not be completed for at least six weeks to come; some places it is yet original forest.

Anti-Chinese Meeting.

There was a good attendance at Harmany Hall last night. Mr. Mural occupied the chair. It was decided to organize a Central Division of the Union, with the following officers: Mr. Houghton, President; Mr. Creech, Secretary; Mr. Cramer, Treasurer. A resolution was adopted instructing that an address be presented to Mr. West, expressive of the regret of the members at his determination to leave the city for his native province, New Brunswick. The Central Committee were instructed to communicate with the Minister of Justice at Ottawa on the injustice of having different rules for whites and Chinese in the prisons. Messrs. Cramer, Crane, Powell, Dods, Tuckfield, and Booth, addressed the meeting. In future the Union will meet each alternate Friday.

THE WIDE WORLD.

THIS DAY'S DESPATCHES.

The Lima Revolt—No Prospects for Peace.

Special to THE TIMES.

PANAMA, Aug. 7.—News from Lima is to the effect that all efforts at reconciliation between Iglesias and Caceres are at an end. A commission of Iglesias and Government Monsieur Tovas succeeded in having an interview with Caceres and presented to him peace propositions. They were in effect that Caceres' army be received into the government army without change in rank or pay; that Caceres' acts be recognized, his debts assumed, and that a new election be called. This did not suit Caceres and his followers, who proposed even more humiliating terms to the government and the interview then ended.

FROM THE THEATER OF WAR.

Late news from the theater of war is not such as to inspire the hope of an early conclusion of the struggles. The rebels abandoned their camp on the island opposite Columar, whence they had made several attacks on the government forces, and moved up the river, on the 18th. An intercepted letter from their commander, Camargo, says he had determined to change completely his plan of operations. This letter does not state what his intentions are, but as it is addressed to the commander of the revolutionists contingent in Baranquille, urging that officer to join him, with his entire command, without delay, it is evident he contemplates active operations. Gen. Reyes, of the government forces, says Camargo cannot muster more than 2500 men, including crews, and seven river steamers. One of the best of this fleet, the Medillina, was burned and blown up in the battle of Tamalaque, and two prominent rebel leaders went down in her, Generals Herandez and Vargas Santos.

A STARTLING DEATH RATE.

The sanitary condition of the Isthmus has not improved. The condition of Colon is something terrible, a perfect plague seems to have stricken the place. There are sometimes as many as 25 deaths per day in a population of less than 10,000. That death rate is something startling.

A Terrible Deed.

Special to THE TIMES.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 8.—A special from the Lafayette, Ala., Constitution, says: "Eight miles from Lafayette, Wm. Hancock, farmer, aged 57 and son, Wm. Hancock, were partners in a threshing machine. Yesterday they quarrelled over a division of the tools. The old man got a gun and made threats of assault against the son, but no violence occurred. The father, with another son named John, then went to William's house. Soon after that William arrived and procured a gun and told his father he was ready to fight it out. The old man raised his gun to fire, but William being quicker fired first, striking but not disabling his father. The old man fired without effect and William fired his second barrel, killing his father instantly. John Hancock seized his father's gun and shot his brother under the eye. William drew a pistol and began firing. While John was running one shot took effect in his side. William overtook him and carried him back home. William has been arrested, and seems to care but little for his terrible deed.

The Cholera Plague.

Special to THE TIMES.

MADRID, Aug. 7.—There were 4,294 new cases of cholera throughout the kingdom yesterday and 1683 deaths.

The panic caused by the rapid spread of cholera in the country is increasing. Entire villages have been deserted by their inhabitants, who have fled for safety from the dreaded disease. In many cases doctors and municipal authorities have been attacked by the scourge and the sick have been abandoned, the dead left unburied. Reports from several places state that it is impossible to obtain provisions or medicines. The misery throughout the country is great.

In Marseilles.

Special to THE TIMES.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 7.—The sanitary council of this city telegraphed to-day to M. Legard, Minister of the Interior, a statement certifying that the cholera in Marseilles was sporadic only. This action, however, is known to have been resorted to for the purpose of concealing the alarm felt by the council and avoid being held responsible for neglect of sanitation, which has caused the recurrence of cholera in the city. The municipal council of Marseilles are much perplexed. From want of funds they have no appropriation available for expenditure for cholera purposes, and dare not ask for funds for fear of creating alarm and implied acknowledgment of the existence of cholera in an epidemic form. Thirty-three deaths from cholera were reported in this city to-day.

Coal and Iron Miners' Riot.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—The coal and iron miners of Ilkestone, in Derbyshire, have been rioting all day. They have already caused great damage to property in the parish. In one of their battles against the police this afternoon, the rioters were driven back several miles from the town, contesting every foot of the way. During this engagement a great number of miners were disabled and injured, and nine of them dangerously wounded.

Menacing the Koolda Provinces.

Special to THE TIMES.

BOMBAY, Aug. 7.—The Bombay Gazette states that Yakoob Bey's son has, with assistance, occupied Cashgar, in Chinese Turkestan, and that, with his followers, he is now menacing the Koolda provinces.

Yellow Fever Prevalent.

Special to THE TIMES.

CITY OF MEXICO, via GALVESTON, Aug. 7.—Yellow fever has appeared at Mazatlan and Tehuantepec. At the former place the disease is not violent yet and the physicians have good success in treating it. At Tehuantepec efforts are being made by the municipal authorities to stamp out the fever. Many persons deny the efficacy of Dr. Carmonse' vaccination process, and declare he is expected to publish soon a defense of his system.

Another Horror.

Special to THE TIMES.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—A brief dispatch from Nevada, Mo., says two dead bodies, with their throats cut from ear to ear, were found on the road six miles from there to-day. A man and woman, who were seen unloading the bodies from a wagon last night, are suspected of having committed the deed, and a posse of citizens is now in pursuit of them.

AN ARREST AT HOPE

For Robbing the Premises of Mr. Gibson—Caught in the Act.

Special Dispatch to THE TIMES.

HOPE, Aug. 8.—James Hoyt, a young man of seventeen, supposed lately to have been employed at the Oriental hotel, Victoria, was last evening committed for trial by Mr. Wardle, for breaking into the premises of Mr. Gibson. When captured by the latter gentleman he had $50 of the stolen money sewed in the lining of his coat. A pair of shoes were found on him, also belonging to Mr. Gibson. On the arrival of Mr. Wise from Yale, the prisoner went with him on the road to a salmon shed and obtained the stolen watch from under the boards. The prisoner was taken to Yale by canoe this morning and from there he will be sent to New Westminster gaol to await the Yale assizes.

Literally Carved to Pieces.

Special to THE TIMES.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—A dispatch from Springfield, Missouri, says that at an open air dance, some four miles from that place, last night, a bloody fight occurred between Cook Ashbridge and Wm. and Jos. Hoover, on one side, and Bertie Dulin, Leman Thompson and Isaac Mesick, on the other. Knives were the weapons used, and the three last named were literally carved to pieces, two of them being reported dead and the third dying. Ashbridge and the brothers Hoover were arrested late in the night and are now in jail. The people in the neighborhood are greatly excited over the event, and threats of lynching the murderers are numerous.

Inspecting Chinatown.

Special to THE TIMES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—Col. Denby the newly appointed minister, inspected Chinatown to-day. He was escorted by sub-committees of both Democrat and Republican county committees. During the visit he remarked to those accompanying him: "They don't understand this East; they need cheap labor, but they know nothing of the social disadvantage of Chinese labor. Several eastern merchants spoke to me about introducing our manufactures in China, but nothing was said about the evils of the immigration." At the conclusion of his tour of inspection, he declined publicly to express his views, owing to the delicate position which he occupied as Minister to China.

A Broad Gauge to Butte.

Special to THE TIMES.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 8.—The St. Paul Jobbers Union which has just returned from a tour to Montana, held a meeting this evening and passed a resolution urging the Northern Pacific to build a broad gauge branch to Butte City, Montana. Manager Oakes, of the Northern Pacific, says there is no agreement between the Northern Pacific and the Union Pacific to prevent the carrying out of the project, although the territory from Garrison to Butte has been treated by both companies as neutral ground.

A Case of Cholera in England.

Special to THE TIMES.

BRISTOL, Aug. 8.—A seaman, who arrived here overland from Marseilles, became ill and was seized with vomiting and died. A medical officer of the Board of Health declared that the man was suffering from Cholera. An inquest was held and the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that the symptoms were very much like that of Asiatic cholera. Precautionary measures are being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

What Carelessness Done.

Special to THE TIMES.

DENVER, Aug. 7.—The Tribune-Republican, Canon City, says that two freight trains collided at noon to-day, near Parkdale, the western entrance to Royal Gorge, on the Denver & Rio Grande road. Engineer Gordon, of the down train, is missing; probably killed. Both trains are complete wrecks. A mistake in interpreting orders was the cause of the accident.

Killed by Apaches.

Special to THE TIMES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—The Bulletin's Nogales, Arizona, special says: John Desmague, a well-known miner and a former resident of Tombstone, was killed by Apaches on Wednesday, near Providence Mine, in the Cananea mountains. His body was completely riddled with bullets.

A Faithless Wife.

Special to THE TIMES.

DENVER, Aug. 7.—The News, of Santa Fe, says Mrs. H. Brigham, wife of the architect of the new capitol building, eloped on Wednesday night with James H. Vanderville, formerly of Newark, N. J., tutor of the children of General L. P. Bradley. The husband is deeply stricken but will make no attempt to follow the faithless paramour, who it is supposed went to Kansas City.

The Cholera in France.

Special to THE TIMES.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 7.—The situation here is perceptibly improving. The exodus continues. The inertness of the officials is publicly denounced. A meeting of the Municipal Council was held to-day; thirteen members were absent.

There were 27 deaths from cholera in this city to-day.

A Tramp Killed.

Special to THE TIMES.

VACAVILLE, Cal., Aug. 7.—An unknown tramp, who stole a coat from Mr. J. Pleasants, of Pleasant Valley, this afternoon, was shot dead by Jack Hopper, an employe of Mr. Pleasants. When overhauled and required to give up the coat the tramp drew a revolver and began firing. Hopper replied with a Winchester rifle. After shooting the latter he came to town and surrendered himself to the officers.

Won't Grant a New Trial.

Special to THE TIMES.

DUBLIN, Aug. 7.—The Court of Appeals have unanimously refused to grant a new trial in the action of libel brought against Mr. Wm. O'Brien by Crown Solicitor Bolton, and in which the former was mulcted in damages.

A Chinese Alliance.

Special to THE TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—The Republique Francaise states that an alliance has been concluded between Great Britain and China for mutual action in the event of war between England and Russia.

General Election in France.

Special to THE TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 7.—A decree ordering a general election in France was issued to-day. It designates 4th October next as the day.

THE END IS REACHED.

The Funeral Obsequies of General Grant in New York To-Day.—The Casket Deposited.

The Solemn Procession Two and a Half Miles Long—Witnessed by a Dense Throng.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—General Grant's funeral procession started at ten o'clock, by this city's time. The catafalque on which the remains rested was carried out a few minutes before that hour. The procession was two and a half miles long. The head of the procession reached the park at a little after one o'clock, and at two the body reached the tomb in Riverside Park, where impressive funeral services were held.

ARRAYED IN SABLE.

New York city was never so profusely arrayed in sable as it is to-day. The deaths of Lincoln and Garfield were more tragic, but they produced nothing like the manifestation of grief that is now visible. Wall and Broad streets are shadowed with clouds of crape. Throughout Broadway, Fourteenth street, Sixth avenue, the Bowery and all the great business streets, almost every building is draped with emblems of the popular grief, and all the devices of mourning seem to have been exhausted. A good deal of the draping has been done very artistically. On the Mills' building the facade was curtained with 6000 square yards of crape and black goods. Everywhere throughout the city are flags half-masted and bordered with crape, and everywhere are the patriotic phrases to which he gave coinage.

THE REMAINS OF THE GENERAL.

A suit of black broadcloth was placed upon the remains. A white linen standing collar circles the neck and a black silk scarf is tied in a plain bow at the throat; a pair of low-cut patent leather slippers upon the dead general's feet, when they had been encased in white stockings. Gold studs were fixed in the shirt front and plain gold buttons in the cuffs. The double-breasted Prince Albert coat was buttoned closely from top to bottom. The right hand was folded across the breast and the left was easily disposed of by the side. The casket was sealed for the last time by the 60 screws that press the glass down into its fittings, which renders the casket air-tight.

THE CASKET.

The coffin is known to the trade as "style F" state casket, cloth covered metallic." It is six feet long, banded with solid silver frames. The metallic part, which is inside the red-covered shell, is of highly polished copper, one-eighth of an inch thick. The top is of French plate beveled glass, open full length. The inside of the coffin is lined with light cream satin, beautifully tufted, with an elegant pillow, on which is raised letters on an embroidered ribbon, are the initials "U. S. G." The handles are solid silver, especially designed for the coffin. The outside box is of imported cedar, highly polished and decorated with handsome mountings, and is lined heavily with lead. The cedar portion is perfectly air tight, and practically indestructible. The fear that an attempt might be made at some time by ghouls to remove the General's remains from his coffin has induced the family to adopt unusual precautions.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

President Cleveland and several members of his cabinet arrived in the city yesterday and occupied their assigned places in the procession. During its progress through the city the line was densely packed, the pavements being impassible, while every possible place of observation from the street to the house tops were likewise occupied. Many casualties are reported. No such crowd has ever been seen in this city before.

MEMORIAL SERVICES ELSEWHERE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 8.—The public schools held memorial services to-day in honor of the memory of Gen. U. S. Grant. Many prominent citizens were present at the different schools and made addresses.

BERLIN, Aug. 7.—The American legation and consulate in this city will be closed to-morrow as a mark of respect to the late Gen. Grant.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—The American legation, and the offices of the American consul in this city and of those throughout the kingdom are closed to-day out of respect to the memory of General Grant. Many buildings are appropriately draped. The Americans are generally observing the day.

THE CASKET PLACED IN THE VAULT.

At 5:18 this afternoon the casket containing the General's remains were placed in the vault. The vast assemblage then began to disperse.

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Special to THE TIMES.

QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 8.—The Etruria's time to Fastnes was six days five hours and thirty-five minutes from New York, the fastest time ever made. The Etruria is of the Cunard line.

Prorogation.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Parliament will be prorogued on the 12th instant.

A Point in Advertising.

"To advertise successfully one must advertise right straight along," said a prominent New York dry goods merchant. "We once hit upon a novel expedient, however, of ascertaining over what area our advertisements were read. We published a couple of half-column 'ads,' in which we purposely mis-stated half a dozen historical facts."

"Did you get any replies?"

"I should say we did. In less than a week we received between 300 and 400 letters from all parts of the country, from people wishing to know why on earth we kept such a consummate fool who knew so little about American history. The letters kept on pouring in for three or four weeks. It was one of the best paying 'ads' we ever printed. Our letters came from schoolboys, girls, professors, clergymen, school teachers, and in two instances, from eminent men who have a world-wide reputation. I was more impressed with the value of advertising from those two advertisements than I should have been by volumes of theories."

The Metlakahtla Deputation.

The Metlakahtla Indians who accompanied Mr. Duncan to Ottawa, to lay their so-called grievances before the Dominion government, returned to Victoria to-day. Mr. Duncan parted with the other members of the deputation at Ottawa, and proceeded to England. He will return in a couple of months.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Saturday, August 8, 1885.

THE GOVERNMENTAL BLUNDERBUSS AGAIN.

The reply of the *Colonist* this morning to the strictures in last evenings Times, anent the recent appointment of a principal for the girls' department of the Central school, is characteristic of that journal. When baffled in argument and discussion, as it frequently is by The Times—it endeavours to raise side issues in the hope of diverting attention from the main question under discussion. Again it asserts that The Times' youth is a bar to its giving an opinion on any question; that the contributors to its columns being comparatively new comers—"strangers"—it and they should maintain silence and allow villainy and all sorts of rascality to hold carnival, questionable acts to pass unchallenged and illegal actions to be passed over in quietness, all of which would certainly be the case were the press of the province to accept of the senior subsidized government organ as its talisman. "Too young," "a comparative stranger" and ignorance of the country and "its requirements and habits," have always formed the staple arguments advanced by the *Colonist* against The Times, when our contemporary fails in argument. Pelican-like it is never satisfied unless all the grist comes to its own mill; it scruples at nothing to accomplish this, the means in its case always justifies the end. For years it had everything pretty much its own way, and as many only too well know, it took every advantage of its position. "Every dog has its day," and the canine of the *Colonist* apparently has had his. The Times is indifferent as to whether it pleases the *Colonist* cotere or not. Of this, however, we are assured, that the effort to supply the people of this province with a respectable, live, entertaining newspaper is appreciated, for nothing could be more convincing in this respect than the extensive circulation The Times now enjoys and the liberal patronage it is otherwise accorded; all of which, no doubt, is as gall and wormwood to the *Colonist* bubble.

On the recent appointment we gave no uncertain sound. We voiced the feeling of the majority of the people of this city when we asserted that the trustees had prostituted the position to which they were elected. The editor of the *Colonist* we always thought to be unfit for the position of school trustee, being the controller of a subsidized journal which has to advocate the cause of what every one knows to be a tottering government, and defend its many acts of omission as well as those of commission. As such it would be impossible for him to exercise that independence which is necessary to maintain the thorough efficency of our school system, and its removal from the political arena. It did not require much knowledge of human nature, or men, to know that in school matters, as in others, he would endeavor to over-ride all others and to the end lose not an opportunity to carry out the wishes and behests of his masters.

The Times has invariably taken the ground that merit should be the crowning qualification for any public position; and no matter where such was found, be they natives to the "manor born" or "strangers" from any section of the Dominion, there was no barrier in their way from being recognized. We did assert, and still adhere thereto, that in accepting the application of Miss Armstrong—who may be a good teacher, but yet unknown here as such—in preference to Mrs Reid, who has been a resident of this city for a number of years, attended our schools as a scholar and afterwards, in becoming a teacher, gradually forged to the front in her examinations until she now possesses a qualification higher than that of her superior, and whose record as a teacher is such that her application beyond any doubt should have been accepted. It is a bad policy to "swap horses in the middle of the stream" and one should always "speak well of the bridge that carries them safely over a stream." To Miss Armstrong, personally, we offer not the slightest opposition. It is most unfortunate for her, however, that through the machinations of political tricksters, her name should be so much discussed in the press. Sentiment has to give way to duty, and ours is such that, notwithstanding all the *Colonist* and its editor, who is the chief marplotter in the transaction, may say to the contrary, a grievious wrong has been done Mrs. Reid, and the well understood and recognized principle prevailing elsewhere of rewarding merit by promotion, set at naught, in order to carry out to completion part of a purchase and sale consideration that was equally discreditable to the buyer as well as the seller, the brayings of the *Colonist* to the contrary, notwithstanding.

The British Northwest territory lies east of the Rocky Mountain range, and is so much under the influence of the Chinook winds from the Pacific Ocean that the country has in a general way an exceedingly mild climate when its high northern latitude is considered. It is emphatically a wheat-producing country, but oats, barley, rye and peas can be raised to good advantage, as well as all the principal root crops; but a fact of startling import is that this country is estimated upon good authority to contain 250,000,000 acres lying north of the line of the Canada Pacific Railway and east of the Rocky Mountain Range.

The appropriation for public education in England and Wales, made by parliament recently, was $16,513,300; and for Scotland $1,400,870.

FEEBLE ASSAILANTS.

A competent authority in writing on the naval manœuvers that recently took place at Bantry Bay, says that the experiment ended much as was foreseen. It was probable from the first that torpedo-boats would have no chance of overcoming the defences placed round the squadron at anchor in Berehaven. In actual warfare the fire of Admiral Whyte's squadron would have sunk every one of its feeble assailants in ten minutes. There is a considerable probability that even if the torpedo-boats had been able to reach the boom undiscovered they would not have got over it. Sham fights of this kind, and of every kind, are as a matter of course inaccurate copies of real warfare. If the leading boats of Admiral Hoskin's flotilla had been sunk by the fire of the ships at anchor, the following would have been much less eager to push on than they were. The most intrepid of the adventurous sub-lieutenants and midshipmen who drove their boats on to the boom, and by dint of tomahawks and main strength forced them on to it or over it, would have either gone to the bottom at an early period in the fight, or would have seen cause not to try the impossible. Sub-lieutenants and midshipmen are a courageous breed, but they are made of flesh and blood like the rest of humanity. In actual warfare, too, the attacking squadron would not have chosen a fine clear night for its advance. But when every allowance is made, the sham fight in Berehaven seems to have been made as like the real thing as possible. The navy enjoys the good fortune of doing its work out of reach of mobs of spectators, and is infinitely less limited by fictions than the army. One thing is very clearly proved by the fight, and that is the comparative harmlessness of the torpedo. The comparison is not so much between the torpedo and other weapons of war as between what had been prophesied of it and what it appears actually likely to do. That it is a formidable instrument under certain circumstances nobody doubts; but it can be guarded against by a sharp look-out and crushed by artillery fire. The fact that a fleet which had sought refuge in harbor from a superior force would not have time to construct such an elaborate boom as defended Admiral Whyte's squadron does not tell in favor of the attack, since a much weaker barrier would have been sufficient as far as the torpedoes are concerned. Neither does the fineness of the night on which the sham fight took place afford any reason for arguing that the defence was favored by circumstances. Bad weather, with mist or heavy rain, would have unquestionably made it much less easy for Admiral Whyte's lookout to detect their assailants, but it would have proportionately increased the difficulties of the attacking side. Besides proving that a good lookout and good gunnery will be as valuable as ever in naval warfare, the experiment of Monday affords some reason for believing that a fleet at anchor in an unfortified harbor will again have the superiority. Until the battles of Camperdown and the Nile, it has always been thought that this was an exceptionally favorable position for giving battle. After the great feats of Duncan and Nelson the opposite opinion prevailed; but, considering how enormously the power of artillery has been developed, and that a fleet at anchor will be able to use torpedo mines, it seems not improbable that naval officers may come back to the old view.

THE FEDERAL CABINET.

From Ottawa it is reported that Mr. Thomas White, of the Montreal *Gazette*, M. P., for Cardwell, a constituency in Ontario, forty miles northwest of Toronto, has been called to the cabinet with the portfolio of Minister of the Interior; that Mr. Speaker Kirkpatrick will likewise enter the cabinet as Minister of Agriculture, while Hon. Mr. Pope will confine himself to the Department of Railways. Mr. White is a trained journalist, familiar with the politics of Canada: a hard working, pains-taking gentleman, who has attained his present eminent position through hard work and indomitable perseverance; a fluent, forcible speaker, an excellent debater, and withal a man of good parts, he will prove quite an acquisition to the ministry, for the infusion of "new blood" therein has been wanted for some time. Mr. White will give a good account of himself and prove an excellent administrator of the Department of the Interior, which has of late been sadly lacking in its management of affairs coming within its special jurisdiction. The office is now second only to that of the Finance Minister, and is daily increasing in importance. In addition to the changes already named others are certain to follow.

The agitation of the subject of protection to the young girls, following the publications in the *Pall Mall Gazette*, is leading to the social ostracism of several well-known noblemen believed to be involved in the *Gazette's* stories, and whose names and acts have been presented to the Archbishop of Canterbury, Cardinal Manning and other members of the committee, who are now considering the proofs submitted by the *Gazette's* secret commission. Several of the prominent men in society whose names appeared upon the books of the notorious Mrs. Jeffries after the police descent upon her establishment several weeks ago, have disappeared from London. The organ of the "Social Purity Movement" states that four members of Parliament have each offered a large sum toward the criminal prosecution of the editor. The paper dares them to face the testimony in open court, and boldly declares that all four will have to disappear permanently from public life in the event of such a prosecution.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It took 3000 yards of mourning stuff to drape the White House, 4000 yards for the treasury building, 5000 yards for the interior and 12,000 yards for the capitol.

Information is received at St. Petersburg that the Russian revolutionists in Paris are well supplied with money, and will soon be active in carrying out their plots against the Imperial government.

The total values of the United States imports and exports of merchandise for the year ending June June 30, were respectively $577,476,000 and $74,893,000, showing, as compared with 1884, a decrease of $100,221,000 in imports, and an increase in exports of $1,380,000.

The Queen having made Henry of Battenberg her son-in-law, and having given him one of the coveted garters, is now determined to have him naturalized. Doubtless Prince Henry would like to be an Englishman all over, since his marriage has lifted him out of a petty position in the German army at $250 a year, to membership in a royal family with $30,000 a year.

The tenants and purchasers of of church land in Ireland intend to ask the government for a reduction in the original amount of the purchase money of their holdings, so that the benefits conferred by the land act and the land purchase act shall be equalized. The Home Rule members of parliament will ask that a clause embodying this plan of equilization be incorporated in the land purchase bill.

Fresh troubles are reported to have broken out in the Northwest. A despatch from Maple Creek Station, on the C. P. R., states that a band of South Piegan Indians attacked a body of men going to work at Oclore's saw mill, Cypress hills, and killed eight. A detachment of mounted police was sent out to investigate and bring the Indians to justice. The mill is owned by Oclore of Minneapolis.

Prof. Bell is said to be devoting his time to the perfection of a photophone which will send pictures by wire, and from which he hopes to reap even greater wealth than from his original invention. So long as the telephone is in its present imperfect state, it would seem to be the first duty of Prof. Bell to devote his attention to its improvement, in the hope that thereby he might reduce, by at least three-fourths, the amount of profanity now current in the world.

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A LITTLE PRIMROSE.

[Mollie Carpenter in Frank Leslie's Illustrated.]

"Primula! Primula!" No answer; then, after a moment's waiting, in deeper, sterner, more inward burdened tones, the call is repeated.

"P-ri-mu la!"

The two young men loitering on the porch of the fine old country-house listen and look amused.

"Hark! the wild echoes flying, flying, flying!" quotes one, happily. "Where can Primula be?"

"Why such authority?" asks the other, carelessly. "Primula! it's a pretty name, a right pretty primrose maiden name!"

"Oh, the Prims are autocrats here! They like to be obeyed. The others are mere dependencies. And that reminds me, I am glad they have taken you in; you're lucky in falling into such good hands. You are sure you are no worse for your drenching, you poor, benighted, storm-taken pedestrian, you?"

"No; I'm all right; only this confounded headache I've been trying to walk off the last two weeks. But, tell me——"

"I'll tell you nothing. There comes the servant to bid you to supper. I'm off! Yes, you'll like the general; he is a fine old fellow. Ta! ta!"

"He was sure to like the general!" When Mark Ormond entered the parlor, to which he was conducted after supper, he looked about him with some eagerness. He wondered if Primula would be there! A tall, handsome youth sat at the piano, playing bits of Schumann's "Star Wreath." Gen. Prim was in his armchair by the fireplace; the tall, stately lady who had sat at the table pouring tea and talking with such sweet and noble mannered hospitality, and whom John, the servant, addressed as "Madam," was here at the center table, bending over her knitting. Surely, she was not Primula, either.

He wished some one would call out again; "Primula!"

"Sit there, if you please." The general indicated a chair by the window. "The view there is considered the best of any from our windows. Do you like music?"

Mark begged that the musician would proceed. The general resumed his seat. The splendid mannered, proud old soldier, with his crutch and his snuff-box, was, it was plain to be seen, a scholar of the fine old school of the past.

"Ah, yes; I was just going to ask Walter to play some of my favorites—the old music, sir. There is nothing like the old music."

The lovely melodies filled the room. Every one listened.

"You like that, Mr. Ormond? It is from Gay's opera, 'The Beggar.' I heard it the first time I was in London," said the general. "The first time I was in London and saw Kean——"

"Kean!" repeated Mark, in some surprise. "What, Edmund Kean?"

"Ay, Edmund Kean! Ah, there was an actor! He played against the elder Booth as Othello. To hear him say—"

"Oh, we've heard all that before, Grandpapa Silver Hair!" interrupted Walter, a little saucily, from the piano. "It is an old story, as old as the hills, isn't it, Madam Anne?"

The boy began to play noisily and stormily. There was little melody in his music; he did wait for Madam Anne to answer him, but instinctively, Mark knew that the subject of London reminiscences was distasteful to the youth; that the talk of London jarred and put him out of tone.

The general frowned.

"It's an old story, is it? and you are tired of it; and I am old, too, my boy, but I like those memories." He turned to Mark. "It was my first visit abroad. My friend, Miss Alice Brotherton, was of our party; she liked the theatres. To hear Kean say, magnificently, as Othello: 'Othello's occupation's gone!'"

Again Walter interrupted, sharply:

"Others have said it, too, grandpapa!" There was a note of pain in the lad's voice. "Here is your favorite march, sir."

Mark listened with pained interest, feeling a strange pity for the lad's sorrow. Suddenly he seemed to hear a stir—a faint sigh close beside him. He turned quickly.

"Did I frighten you? It is only I," said a sweet, shy voice. "I have been to look at the primroses."

Only I! The sweet, slight shape clothed in white came forward out of the moonlit window. One hand held back the long, unloosed, golden tresses from her virgin cheek; the other, dropped at her side, held a great bunch of the most fragrant flowers.

"Is it you, child?" called the general. "Come here."

The air seemed all at once bright and sweet and clear.

"You should not be out so late, Primula," said Madam Anne, in her stately, serene way; not even for primroses."

"It's always primrose-time here," said Walter, and for the first time his voice was light. He began to play once more, and now his music was like a hymn of joy.

When the little home-party broke up, late that evening, Mark Ormond offered his arm to the old general.

"Will you not let me assist you, sir, in place of Walter?" he said. "Pray lean on my arm. I should esteem it a great favor."

They moved away slowly down the room into the hall, the old, silver-haired man talking volubly, the younger one listening. Here was a portrait, there a piece of old thirteenth century carving; in another place a silver horn—a drinking cup.

"I detest London!" Mark heard Walter saying, sharply.

Madam Anne turned from saying her gracious good-night to Mark.

"Will you go with me to my room, Primula? I want you to help about the embroidered rugs that were sent back by Warren to-day. I am not quite sure of the right number."

Young Walter, with his hand on the window-sill, turned and looked back angrily.

"Why not call a servant for that?" he flashed out; but his fire was lost. Madam Anne pulled her satin scarf about her stately shoulders. The poor little primrose-maid followed; some of her faint, sweet fragrance of light and odor seemed to have died out since madam spoke.

Going up the stairs, Gen. Prim regarded the young friend with kindly eyes.

"You have a gentle touch," he said. "You like to wait on the old? Alas, I am old!"

"But you are happy in having beautiful youth about you," said Mark, evasively.

"Ah yes! But I shall not have it long." The general drew himself up. "Walter is studying law—I shall send him to London—I am waiting for an opportunity. As for Primula——"

He paused here; his voice shook.

"What of her—Primula?" Mark asked gently.

"My little primrose maid—to whom my fortune goes at my death—I had hoped—ah, sir! in my youth I loved Alice Brotherton—loved her dearly—but we were separated—not her fault! I have heard she married unfortunately, and I have hoped she might have left an heir, one bearing her name, to whom I might give my Primula! It is an old man's dream—an old man's innocent dream of the love of his youth renewed! Ah young sir, remember this, Love is best!"

Mark listened with downcast eyes. A faint flush rose to his forehead. Primula was so fair—and, ah! he, Mark, was so poor!

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When, at last, Mark bade the general "good-night," he stopped, instead of going to his own room, at the great window looking out over the green lawn. The night was glorious to see, but Mark felt sick and worn; he felt a sense of inward strain, of mental conflict. Trying the window, he found that it yielded to his touch; a moment more and he was outside, sitting in the shadow of the vines, feeling for a cigarette.

Hark! what is this?

Again the window opens—a little, slim, white shape slips out—blue eyes, and golden hair, and soft-gathered woolen drapery! It carries a lamp, this lovely moonlight vision—a bright star of light, which it hides securely close to the wall behind the foliage.

Hark! "Primula!" Again that lovely cry! A rush, a flutter—the pretty ghost flies past Mark down the piazza, and then is gathered in somebody's waiting arms.

"Primula! poor little fugitive!" (Walter's voice.)

"I thought she would never let me off," sobs a pretty, low, love-sweet voice. "Oh, Walter! I am so afraid, so unhappy, only when I am with you."

"Poor child—poor little thing! Do you think I am happy? To hear them talk to-night. Ah, my little primrose! I wish I could fly away with you."

Walter holds close to him the pretty, trembling shape; he kisses and caresses the long vail of golden hair that has fallen over his strong and true young heart; he calls this fair, young girl—the girl he loved—each and all of the sweet and tender love-names the English language holds.

"I wish I could help you! I wish I could help myself!" he sighs.

Mark shrinks back into the shadow of the vines; he is sorry and ashamed of his position; but how can he remedy it? How can he reveal himself not without causing fright and indignation, and perhaps, in the surprise, a betrayal of the lovers' clandestine meeting.

"I heard them talking to-night" (this is Primula's voice) "and, oh! Walter, it was the old story of Alice Brotherton's heir—and he will send you away to London—he will separate us!"

"Will he?" Walter's voice is deep and bitter. "Maybe, but, little one, think a moment! I am poor; if you stay here to do the general's bidding he will give you riches—a great estate, a great position. Honor, high rank are yours, if you choose—and I, ah! my Primula, I have nothing—nothing!"

"Oh, Walter I love you—you only!"

"Little Primula, I am sure of it, that is my sole consolation; but think—think of all the difference it will make to you, all your after life, in choosing now between us two! I have only love—love—true love, and again love, to give you! It will be a long and wearisome journey, perhaps, with me, even to life's end. He can give you ease—everything."

"But I want your love, Walter! Oh, don't you see? I'll wander all over the wide world with you, tired as I can be! I'll go barefooted hand-in-hand with you. I'll tramp and sing. I'll go hungry and ragged and cold if need be—but, I love you!"

"Poor little Barefoot! all for me." Walter's strong voice sounds sweeter through his tears. "Oh, thank God for love! but I'll try and do better than that. You shall have shoes and stockings. Ah, child, I'll work and drudge for such love!"

Mark dropped his face into his shaking hands, he could not bear to listen longer, and then, just as his courage gave out, he heard a stir, and a moment later Primula fled past him.

He watched the slight figure flying up the stairs; the faint shine of the little lamp she carried flashed from window to window along the lawn. To Mark the situation was unspeakably affecting. This poor little Psyche, frightened, hiding her precious lamp, trembling lest some harsh wind should blow it out, watching it, shielding it, feeding with prayers and tears the sacred oil.

That night Mark dreamed of seeing Primula flying over the house from room to room, carrying her lamp, and pursued by the general. Up-stairs and down she went, and at last, still guarding her burning lamp, she seemed to plunge over the garden-wall into the gloom below. Walter followed, and the two disappeared thus together.

The young people were absent from the breakfast-table next morning. It was not till the family group were gathered in the twilight, in the parlor. Walter by the window pretending to read, that the fugitive primrose-maid stole in.

"Child!" exclaimed Madam Anne, looking up, "what kept you so late?"

Then she stared. Primula was mute.

"Why, child—Primula—how strangely you are dressed!"

Primula stood still, frightened and speechless, her white straw hat with the golden feathers slipped backward from her brow, leaving the golden sunshine of her hair about her cheeks and pensive eyes. Her gray silk mantle fell from her shoulders to the floor, her ruffled, short, gray silk skirt showed the dainty grace of her fairy feet. The pink ribbon at her throat was not of lovelier tint than her primrose cheeks.

"I'm so sorry," she faltered; then she paused.

Walter, at the window, started up. Poor boy! could he stand that frightened sorrow of the dearest eyes in all the world to him? With a cry, Primula rushed across the room to the arms opened to receive her.

"She is my wife," flashed Walter, fiercely, into their wondering faces. "We were married this morning."

Then he sobbed out, holding his bride closer to him:

"We'll go away at once. We won't trouble you; but she is mine now. We love each other."

The general staggered to his feet. He stood there, with his pale, stern face—he trembled, leaning on his stout oak staff.

"You have deceived me," he began, in his tremulous, sad, old voice. "You have dared to do this. You did not even speak to me, you two, who have eaten my bread, who have slept under my roof."

He paused here, his shaking voice broke down.

"I am old. You have deceived me. Go."

But Mark stepped forward.

"Sir," he said, very softly, "you told me last night that if Alice Brotherton were to send any message to you from the grave, asking any favor, you could not refuse it. She does ask now, through me, a favor. I am of her kin. My name is Mark Ormond Brotherton. I ask you for her, through her, for sake of your dead love—oh! sir, I ask you to forgive and bless these two lovers."

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The twilight deepened. Again the beautiful night was there. Night and moonlight, and soft dew and music, and the touch and scent of flowers.

Primroses — primroses everywhere. Primroses are the flowers of spring—and love!

Mark and Madam Anne are standing by the window, looking at the pale, sweet flower.

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Dry Goods,
Picks, Shovels, Gold Pans,

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R. CUNNINGHAM,

Port Essington, Skeena River, B. C.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Saturday, August 8, 1885.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The Olympian brought 1012 sheep for John Parker.

—Steamer Ancon will sail for Alaska on Monday next, at 11 o'clock.

—Sock-eyes are now running by the million in the Fraser.

—The new Presbyterian churches at Langley and Mud Bay are about completed.

—The Dominion government declines the responsibility of making roads through its own lands in this province.

—Miss E. A. Davidson has been appointed a teacher in the junior girl's department of the New Westminster school.

—Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will sail for Fort Simpson and Queen Charlotte Island on Tuesday next.

—Archbishop Seagers will preach in the Cathedral to-morrow at half past ten o'clock.

—Doyle & Fisher, of the Globe hotel, Esquimalt, are advertising board and lodging at moderate rates.

—Messrs. Bell, Larkin & Patterson are in want of track layers on the Island railway at Chemainus.

—The letters of "A Citizen," "Home First" and "A Taxpayer" will appear on Monday.

—Mr. Cambie, C. E., was expected in New Westminster last night. He will proceed with the survey of the branch of the C. P. R. to that city.

—There is a report to the effect that the body of a Chinaman has been found near Cadboro Bay. Particulars not to hand.

—Mr. C. J. Prevost is advertising for tenders for the purchase of the stock of goods in the Chinese store of Kwong Lee, Cormorant street.

—The Poodle Dog Restaurant, Yates street, is being well patronized. Excellent meals at reasonable rates are served here.

—The Queen of the Pacific, now on her way to this port, brings 400 tons of freight for Victoria.

—Mr. Charles Morton's stock of books, etc., must be closed out before the 20th of September. Bargains are now to be had.

—The Queen of the Pacific will arrive to-morrow. The Barbara Boscowitz sails for the north on Tuesday. A number of citizens are taking in the trip.

—The Port Moody Gazette objects to the immigration sheds being erected in this city. Quite so, brother Gazette, Port Moody in your estimation should be the place. Authorities, however, differ.

—Mr. A. J. Armstrong who was seriously injured by the accident at Pennie's station has entered a suit against Mr. Onderdonk for $20,000; so says the Port Moody Gazette.

—Mr. William Monteith, of this city, represents the Confederation Life Association, of Toronto, one of the most reliable companies transacting a life business.

—An entirely new change of programme at the Theater Comique to-night. A number of new performers have been added to the troupe, and amongst others several minstrels, whose characterizations are most laughable.

—Messrs. A. B. Gray & Co. have received large consignments of hosiery, blankets and other goods, which they offer the trade at the lowest rates. They are worthy an inspection.

—C. D. Rand has resumed business and has taken an office on Bastion street over Dr. Chipp's where he will carry on business as a real estate broker and insurance agent.

—With reference to the robbery reported by telegraph from Hope, inquiries have been made at the Oriental Hotel, in this city, in regard to the person charged with the theft, who it is stated was at one time employed there. No person of the name is known by Mr. McKeon, the proprietor.

—The Olympian brought freight for the following: John Parker, J Carrington, T Earle, Langley & Co, Pitts, J B Ferguson, H Saunders, Jno Oliver, T L Briggs, Marvin & T, Ofner, H Short, Todd & Son, T Carrington, J Chalmers, Wells Fargo & Co, E G Prior, W Ingram, W Tinson, S G King, S Leiser, A J Rowbotham, Carne & Munsie.

—The writer of the letter signed "A Recent Arrival," in this morning's Colonist, surely does not forget that, until recently the wife of an official of the present school board taught for many years in this city, and very acceptably. Much as we may object to the petty trickery lately displayed by the guardians of our schools, we emphatically prefer our own system to that of San Francisco or that in force in many of the States and Territories of the American Union.

Steamer Enterprise.

There is nothing decided upon as yet as to what will be done with the steamer Enterprise. It is expected that she will be beached so high this evening that an inspection of her hull will enable the officers of the company to come to some conclusion in the matter. It is rather premature to state that the machinery will be removed and the hull abandoned. If, after a thorough inspection, it is found that the vessel can be repaired and made as serviceable as formerly, that course will be decided on. The Enterprise will then be towed to this port and the work of repairing at once be commenced. Notwithstanding that the damages are of an extensive character, it is quite possible that it will be in the interest of the company to repair the vessel. She certainly will not be abandoned until it is proven to the company's satisfaction that she is beyond redemption. Capt. Rudlin and a force of men are at work on the wreck to-day, getting her in a position for inspection, and possibly by Monday or Tuesday it will be known what her fate is to be.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

Messrs. Heisterman, Allsop, J. W. Williams, Walker, Ah Sing, and Erb were charged with permitting thistles to remain uncut on their property. The Chinaman did not appear, and was fined $5 and $2 costs. The other defendants claimed that they had cut the thistles since the summons were served, and consequently no fine was imposed, each paying $2 costs.

A Mean Trick.

On Thursday night some evil-disposed person turned on the water at the new fountain, junction of Government and Douglas streets. The newly laid cement was completely destroyed and will have to be replaced. The person who would wilfully be guilty of such an act is a dangerous member of the community, because it is not unreasonable to suppose that he would be guilty of something far worse.

OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION.

The Enquiry as to the Late Collision by Marine Experts.

The investigation into the cause of the collision between the Rithet and Enterprise was continued to-day before Captains Lewis and Devereaux and Mr. Vigor.

Honorable John Robson, sworn.—Was a passenger on the Rithet; was standing aft of the ladies' cabin, close by the flagstaff. I stepped on one side and saw the Enterprise coming down; she was 300 or 400 yards away, and was coming in a straight course. Our boat sounded one whistle and the Enterprise answered; I saw her change her course, as if to run across our bows; saw she seemed to act most strangely, and immediately began to cut away the lashings of the life buoy. When I saw that the accident was inevitable I braced myself ready for a shock and there was none—felt like going through rotten ice. Could not see it all from aft; I was behind the cabin. She must have changed her course again as we had run in the port shoulder. Do not know the cause of change, but suppose it was in obedience to the signal. The Rithet may have also changed. I said to a passenger the only thing the Rithet could do was to run stern on, as it was impossible to avoid a collision. My impression is we were a quarter of a mile from shore, twenty minutes after the accident, but cannot say how far we were at the time of accident. Immediately after the collision I went forward; did not see the mate who was disabled. It was practicable to get from the Enterprise to the Rithet; saw ladies taken in boats; several persons did come from the Enterprise to the Rithet, and it was possible to go back over the wreckage as our bow had run into the middle of the Enterprise. Started to go myself for a lady who was still on board; did not see anyone go that way. About this time saw Mr. Alexander on the hurricane deck clearing a boat and called to him; did not notice captain of the Enterprise then at all. I was not in a position to see if there were any officers looking after or giving orders; all was confusion. Did not see a seaman go overboard, but saw Bishop and a waiter bringing people round; Bishop seemed very active. Did not hear any conversation between the two captains; saw Capt. Rudlin going away in a small boat. No one seemed to have command. I know there were a number of men at the boats, do not know who they were. I should say we were locked ten or fifteen minutes; heard no complaint about life-preservers. Only saw one boat leaking.

PERSONAL MENTION

The Misses Williams, of Portland, are guests at the Oriental.

Mr. J. P. Planta, S. M., of Nanaimo, returned home on the Daisy to-day.

Mr. W. W. Dodd and Mrs. Dodd, of Stanley, left for home last night. They went by the Teaser to the mainland.

J W McLeod, of the Island Railway, and T Elliott, of Seattle, are at the Oriental.

M E Montgomery, W O Montgomery, Hamilton, Ont., are stopping at the Occidental.

Mr. W. B. Turner, associate editor of the Pacific States Watchman, the A.O.U.W. journal, is in the city, and gave us a fraternal call to-day.

Rev. Louis Verhaag, managing editor of the Portland Catholic Sentinel, returned home yesterday by the Sound boat.

MARINE NOTES.

The bark Rover of the Seas has been chartered to load salmon for England.

A telegram from Pilot McAllister says that the bark Wylo arrived at Port Moody, under sail, on Friday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 7.—Cleared: British steamer Wellington for Nanaimo; steamer State of California, for Astoria; steamer Alki, for Port Townsend. Sailed: Ship Rosie Welt, for Port Townsend; ship Two Brothers, for Seattle.

Mr. Wm. Ingram, submarine diver, went to Tacoma on the 5th inst., on behalf of Capt. Brondi, representing the underwriters, and made a thorough examination of the bottom of the ship Erickson, which grounded last week at Dungeness. He found the shoe gone from the stern for about twenty-five feet, leaving the composition spikes sticking in the keel. The remaining shoe seemed to be three and a half inches in thickness. There did not seem to have been any strain on the vessel. The copper was gone from the stern to about eighty feet, on the lower part of the keel, the shoe remaining on the vessel. No further injury was found, excepting that a piece of copper had been torn off the keel some forty feet from the stern post.

From Up Country.

Mr. H. L. Jones, of Langley & Co., returned home to-day from a month's tour on the mainland. During his absence, Mr. Jones visited Farwell, the embryo city of the mountains; and he was most favorably impressed with the site as one on which a city of some importance might spring up. There is, however, an entire absence of agricultural land, and the interests that will combine to build up an important trading center at the second crossing of the Columbia will have to be mining and lumbering, of which, fortunately, there are many indications of a most encouraging character. In the Spallumcheen valley, the crops are magnificent, and the ranchmen are correspondingly jubilant at the prospects of a bountiful yield. The Nicola and Okanagan valleys, and the Mission, are in a highly prosperous condition, the crops in each growing most luxuriantly. In a few weeks more the interior will be the sportsman's paradise, as ducks and geese are now congregating on the rivers and lakes in countless numbers. The streams are also full of trout. Mr. Jones looks fifty per cent better after roughing it in the interior.

The Late St. Andrew's Picnic.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonian Societies' picnic netted the handsome sum of over $600. In recognition of the services of Mr. James Russell, the indefatigable Secretary, the committee voted him a sum of money. The succes of the gathering was due largely to his untiring exertions.

The Petrified Giant.

The stone man was sold to-day to Captain McCallum, an English gentleman who is at present on a visit to this city, having traveled over most of the Pacific coast. The price paid was £300 and certificates as to the genuineness of the strange discovery were also procured. The "stone man" will be sent to the British Museum.

Telegraph Office Hours for Sunday.

Commencing with to-morrow the hours for the transaction of business at the telegraph office here will be 9 to 10:30 a. m., and from 5 to 6 p. m. The public are requested to govern themselves accordingly.

SCHOOL BOOKS and all other school requisites at J. B. FERGUSON & Co.'s.

BEADED BLACK SILK JERSEYS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1.62½ each. Just received at the CITY HOUSE.

THE LATE ACCIDENT.

Conclusion of Evidence—The Verdict of the Jury.

[Before Coroner Johnson.]

The investigation before Coroner Johnson was concluded last evening and a verdict returned by the jury.

Robert Ward, Sworn—was a passenger on the Rithet; saw the Enterprise coming on our port side about 400 yards distant; she was apparently going to cross our bows. The Rithet blew one whistle, and ported her helm immediately; they were about fifty yards apart then. The Enterprise blew one whistle and also appeared to have ported her helm. The Rithet gave two signal bells; the signals and collision were almost simultaneous.

L. McLean, sworn—was mate of the Rithet at the time of the collision, and was in the pilot-house at the time. After the whistle was blown turned to the pilot house and asked the man at the wheel if he knew the coast well in that locality; he replied that he did. A couple of minutes afterwards, as I was going towards the pilot house, the quartermaster sang out, "he is going to cross our bow." Looked ahead and saw that the Enterprise was taking a sheer across our bows; she was about fifteen hundred yards away; decided to stop the engine and reverse her at full speed; the helm was hard aport; kept the engine reversing until they struck. Did not pay particular attention as to how the steamer was coming, as I was not in charge of the boat; when I joined her was given to understand that I would have nothing to do with the navigation; my duties were to look after the freight deck.

To Mr. Irving—Have certificate as master, and know the course. Were about 500 or 600 yards from shore; the Enterprise could have gone to within 50 or 60 yards of shore.

To the Coroner—There is such a tide at this point that the helm could not answer for a little; have seen the Rithet almost have to turn around. My going into the pilot house was disobeying orders; have never steered the Rithet during four months I have been on her.

This closed the evidence and the counsel present addressed the jury.

Mr. Gannaway believed that there was no one specially to blame, as it was one of those accidents that happen without negligence and which might occur again. It was caused, he thought, by the unusual action of a rip tide sheering the vessel from its course.

Mr. Irving drew attention to a few facts in the evidence.

Coroner Johnson reminded the jury that the inquest was limited to ascertaining whether any person was criminally liable for the death of the two Chinamen. Certainly, in an accident of this kind some one must be at fault, though to a certain extent he believed in the theory of the accident. There was no doubt that the Enterprise was keeping on her course. She was nearer to the Vancouver shore; the Captain and mate were both at the wheel, and the vessel was in her proper course. The other steamer's course was on the other side, nearer Discovery Island. Capt. Insley was undoubtedly a competent seaman, but it was strange that he should have gone to lunch while in this tortuous channel. Had the Captain been on deck he would have known the reason of the sheer to port and would have shifted his course and thus avoided the catastrophe. With reference to the Chinese, it was clearly impossible that any one could have saved them. There was nothing in the evidence to prove that Captain Insley had acted with criminal negligence; but there was certainly a lack of judgment in leaving the quartermaster in charge of the wheel at a critical moment.

The jury retired at 5:45, and after being out two hours, brought in the following verdict:

We find that the Chinamen, Wong Fook and Lee Sam Hook came to their deaths by drowning, on board the steamer Enterprise, in collision with the steamer R. P. Rithet, on the 28th July, off Cadboro Point; and that the collision occurred from want of care and skill in the navigation of the steamer Rithet under difficult circumstances, the master having left the steamer in charge of an ordinary quartermaster.

W. P. BROWN, Foreman.
THOS. L. DAVIES,
WILLIAM BICKFORD,
F. CAMPBELL, JR.,
JOHN BEGG,
W. CROSSMAN.

The jurymen were then dismissed.

NANAIMO NOTES.

The State of the Real Estate Market—Water Works, &c., &c.

REAL ESTATE.

The trade of this place is still extremely fluctuating. One of our colleries is running all but full time, while the other is all but at a standstill. Land sales around the town are rather slow, but that is most attributable to the high figures asked by holders. Farming lands have been quoted as high as $20,000 for 100 acres, and at such sales there is nothing surprising at buyers being difficult to find. Several farms around are offered and will shortly change hands. Quite a number of parties are out hunting for land through the district, and now and again some of the lucky finders go and make application. There is a goodly quantity of medium and real good land throughout this district, but there are no roads. Colonization roads could be built to some of the outside parts of this district, and thereby open up suitable lands for settlement, though it is well known that this district has got but a small quota of real fine farming lands.

THE NANAIMO WATER WORKS,

it is rumored, intend to put a large gang of men on the construction at once, and to push the work with vigor, as the supply of pure water is yearly becoming scarcer. There are several other developments of rather an extensive character on the tapis. Amongst the rest there appears to be quite a longing after coal lands. Those are far harder to find than has been imagined previously, and it is only of late years that the fact has been admitted that it is only in a favored few places that payable coal veins exist, while the majority have none or only a valueless seam thereon. It is rumored that the government intend to build in whole or part

A TRAIL

from Wellington to the Nanaimo Lakes. It is to be hoped it will be nearer a success than last year's extravagance. It will be quite a boon to lovers of piscatorial sports at Wellington when completed. Last year's trail will have to be re-cut, and then it will be frequently used by hunters, &c., and will in all probability cause lands in that neighborhood to be settled. There are some few parties up our streams

PROSPECTING,

but not with much success at last reports. It is thought on all hands that to be successful it is necessary to go up to headwaters of those streams. The government and sub-contract road parties are in full run on our district roads. The heavy fires in the district have thrown down across the roads numerous trees, and it is reported that some of the bridges are burnt down also. The fire department expect their new steamer in a few weeks, and are now considering where to place it permanently. ALPHA.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Principal of Public Schools for Girls.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I notice in yesterday's Colonist, what I may, with all deference, characterize as a saucy communication, signed "Many Canadians," who seem to have taken offence at one H. F., writing in THE TIMES of the 3rd inst., for saying that the "Victoria school teachers who have been brought up and educated here" should have the preference, and then proceeds to castigate H. F., in what I call a impertinent way, by saying that "Canadians have done their share for this province." Have they done more than their duty, B. C. being a part of the Dominion? Have they in any one instance done more than they bargained for? Have they not been, as it were, driven to perform their bargain? How about Carvarvon terms, &c.? Had not Canadian faith, under the auspices of McKenzie-Blake regime, become a by-word in the province, till the very name of Canada was offensive in the nostrils of the people here? and building the railway after the most barefaced tergiversation and untruthfulness had been indulged in, such as, it was physically impossible to build the railway in ten years, whereas it has been, or will be, done in five years. After building the C. P. R. "Canadians from the east follow their money out and bring their money with them, and they demand their share, and what is more, they are going to get it." I call this more than impudence. Does the railway advantage B. C. more than the other provinces? But I am digressing. Only we old settlers who never hankered after confederation can not take too much blame. Nobody wants to insult Miss Armstrong. The question I want to have answered is: Why should Miss Armstrong be preferred for a responsible position before Mrs. Reid and Miss Cameron, who both hold higher certificates? Here, as the Irishman would say, the one man is not only as good as the other, but a good deal better. I pause for a reply. FIAT JUSTITIA.

Victoria, Aug. 6th, 1885.

A Registration Question.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR:—I was much surprised, on going to register my name as a voter, to find the following conditions required to be fulfilled before my name could be put on the list, viz: "In virtue of my being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, having resided in this province for twelve months and in the electoral district —— two months immediately previous to the date hereof, and not being disqualified by any law in force in this province." Now, what I would like to know is this: Why the government requires a residence of twelve months in the province to be completed to qualify one as a voter, when they collect the Provincial revenue tax a few days after entering the province, and that eleven months in advance of the period to which it is limited? Now I consider any person paying this tax, whether he has been in the province twelve months or not, if he fulfil the other conditions, entitled to registration. What is fair to the government should also be fair to the people. PRINCIPIA."

A Library and Museum.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—E. C. Smith, from Kimball, Dak., and R. R. Parish, from Independence, Or., on a pleasure trip, having heard of the great beauties and many interesting sights to be seen in and around Victoria, were found by me wondering around trying to discover where the public library was, the museum, and other public institutions. They broke their journey here to take in these sights, and were surprised that no such institutions existed in such an impartant city as Victoria. These are two wants Victoria should supply at once. PRINCIPIA.

Our correspondent is in error in regard to the library. There is a very fine collection of books in the Mechanics' Institute, probably about 4000 volumes, and strangers are welcomed to the rooms at all times. But it would be possible for our citizens to patronize it more liberally and by popularizing the institution, place it in a position to be of more benefit to the community generally.—ED. TIMES.

A Poser to the School Board Mahdi.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

SIR:—I, as a parent, would like to be informed by Mr. Higgins, as prime mover, in the selection of the present Principal of the girls' school, upon what standard of fairness did he base his choice? The question is simple and ought to have a straightforward answer. ONE WHO VOTED FOR HIM.

Victoria, Aug. 7.

Everybody's Air-Brake.

"Yes, sah," said Uncle Zach, "I'se watched it forty years an' its as I sez; De fust of May an' Christmas day of the same year allers comes on de same week day."

Further conversation proved Uncle Zach a most incredulous person. Chancing to mention Dr. Carver's feat of breaking glass balls with a rifle, he said:

"I heerd 'bout dat shootin'; dat was a Yankee trick, boss' sho's you born."

"What was the trick?"

"Dar wuz loadstone put into de glass balls, an' likewise onto the bullets; so when the bullet fly outen the gun, it an' de ball jes drawed tergedder, which in course, brokes the glass—dats the trick!"

Later, Uncle Zach observed a rope running along the side of the car.

"Bos, what's dat line fur?"

"To apply the air-brake in case of accident." Then we had further to explain how the force of the brake was obtained, to which Uncle Zach responded:

"Look a here boss, you sholy don't 'spect me to b'leeve dat foolishness? Why, de biggest harricane whatever blowed couldn't stop dis train, runnin' forty mile a hour. An' you think I'm gwine to b'leeve a little pipe full of wind under de kyars can do it! No, sah—ree!"

There are a great many Uncle Zachs who judge everything simply by appearances. The air-brake does not seem to be a very powerful thing, but power and efficiency are not necessarily equivalent to bigness and pretense.

Phillip Beers, Esq., who resides at the United States Hotel, New York city, and is engaged in raising subscriptions for the New York World Bartholdi pedestal fund, was once upbraided by a distinguished relative who was a physician, for commending in such enthusiastic terms, a remedy that cured him of Bright's Disease eight years ago. He said: "Sir, has the medical profession with all its power and experience of thousands of years, anything that can cure this terrible disorder?" No, no, that is true, there is no mistake about it but that Warner's Safe Cure is really a wonderfully effective preparation. That remedy is an "air-brake" that every man can apply, and this fact explains why it has saved so many hundreds of thousands of lives.—Copyrighted. Used by permission of American Rural Home.

Something New.

Crape Mourning Note Paper and Envelopes at FERGUSON'S.

J. Dassonville & Co., Fort Street, Jewelers, have just received a large assortment of Mexican Filigree Jewelry. This invoice will be sold at reduced rates.

BE A WOMAN

Oft I've heard a gentle mother,
As the twilight hours began,
Pleading with a son on duty
Urging him to be a man.

But unto her blue-eyed daughter,
Though with love words quite as ready,
Points she out the other duty,
"Strive, my dear to be a lady."

What's a lady? Is it something
Made of hoops and silks and airs,
Used to decorate the parlor
Like the fancy rings and chairs.

Is it one that wastes on novels
Every feeling that is human?
If 'tis this to be a lady,
'Tis not this to be a woman.

Mother, then, unto your daughter
Speak of something higher far
Than to be mere fashion's lady—
"Woman is the brightest star."

If you in your strong affection
Urge your son to be a man,
Urge your daughter not less strongly
To arise and be a woman.

Yes, a woman! Brightest model
Of that high and perfect beauty,
Where the mind and soul and body
Blend to work out life's great duty.

Be a woman! Naught is higher
On the gilded crest of fame;
On the catalogue of virtue
There's no brighter, holier name.

The curative power of Ayer's Sarsaparilla is too well known to require the specious aid of any exaggerated or fictitious certificate. Witnesses of its marvelous cures are to-day living in every city and hamlet of the land. Write for names if you want home evidence.

The most deadly foe to all malarial diseases is Ayer's Ague Cure, a combination of vegetable ingredients only, of which the most valuable is used in no other known preparation. This remedy is an absolute and certain specific, and succeeds when all other medicines fail. A cure is warranted.

The Petrified Giant.

Found eight feet under the surface on Mr. Gibbert's farm in Happy Valley, is on exhibition at the "Bee Hive" saloon on Fort street. As a curiosity it is well worth seeing. Viewed either as a petrified body or a carved image, it is of great interest to antiquarians. Admission 25c.

Filigree Jewelry.

We have examined some of this work at J. Dassonville & Co.'s, Fort street, and find it really remarkable how threads of silver so fine can be spun and made to form such beautiful styles of ornaments for the ladies. An early call will secure a choice selection.

Music Lessons.

A young lady who has had the advantage of receiving instruction in music from Professor Oliver King, (Pianist to Princess Louise) is desirous of obtaining a limited number of music pupils, and will give lessons at her residence, or if desired at their own homes. For particulars enquire at M. W. Waitt's music store.

A large assortment of PAPER and ENVELOPES and GENERAL STATIONERY just received at M. W. WAITT & Co.'s.

NEUFELDER & ROSS are again receiving, weekly, by refrigerator express, WHITE CLOVER BUTTER.

One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at White House. HUTCHESON, YOUNG & Co.

HEAVY CORDED BLACK SILKS, exceptional value. Just received At the CITY HOUSE.

The Oriental Restaurant will here after be kept open day and night.

The best place to buy your groceries is at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street.

The celebrated APPOLINARIS and VICHY WATERS on sale at FELL & Co.'s

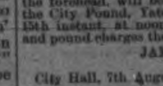
Families requiring sugar for preserving fruits, &c., can obtain it at wholesale prices at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street.

ICE at Brewster's, Yates street, or of W Tinson.

The celebrated BELFAST GINGER ALE, the best in the world, at FELL & Co.'s.

NEW TO-DAY.

ALASKA STEAMER.



THE PACIFIC COAST Steamship Co's steamship

ANCON

Will sail from Victoria for Alaska on

Monday, Aug. 10th,

At 11 o'clock a. m.

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

Victoria, B. C., 8th August, 1885. aug8

CITY POUND NOTICE.

A THREE-YEAR OLD FILLY, with three white feet and one black and white star on the forehead, will be sold by public auction at the City Pound, Yates street, on Saturday, the 15th instant, at noon, unless sooner redeemed and pound charges thereon paid.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

City Hall, 7th August, 1885. aug8 td

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the following Goods, till the

17th August, at 12 o'clock, Noon.

Lot 1—Rice—276 Mats, in Bond. 42 do in Store.

Lot 2—Tea—Pou Chong, 12 chests containing 468 lbs.
Koo Loo (Chang Tye) 4 chests containing 120 lbs
Sin Chong 3 chests containing 90 lbs
Koo Loo (Sin Heung) 2 chests containing 80 lbs
Gong Foo 5 chests containing 200 lbs

Lot 3—Opium—32 balls (crude)
10 Jars (prepared) 60 taels each jar.

Lot 4—Miscellaneous—Salt Fish in oil, 26 boxes
Preserved Ginger, 6 boxes
Nui Kway Wine, 9 boxes, earthenware jars
Ng Karpi Wine, 15 boxes, glass bottles
Chinese Rice Wine, 13 boxes, do
Chinese Starch—2600 lbs.
Rice Flour—1200 lbs.
Fire-crackers—8 boxes of 40,000 each
" 18 " 4,000 "
" 3 " 66,000 "
European shoes—15 dozen

Lot 5—Chinese Medicine—1 room full.

Tenders to state whether for whole or separate lots.

Terms:—Purchasers under $500 cash; above $500 ½ 30 and ½ 60 days, approved paper.

Goods can be seen at Kwong Lee's store, Cormorant street.

JAMES C. PREVOST, Receiver.

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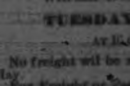

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